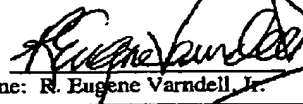


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July 5, 2006

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Official action mailed April 5, 2006. The Official action set forth a three-month period for response, making this response due on or before July 5, 2006.

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